My Death

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My death waits like an old roué So confident I'll go his way Whistle to him and the passing time My death waits like a bible truth At the funeral of my youth Weep loud for that and the passing time My death waits like a witch at night As surely as our love is bright Let's not think about the passing time[Chorus:] But what ever lies behind the door There is nothing much to do Angel or devil, I don't care For in front of that door, there is youMy death waits like a beggar blind Who sees the world through an unlit mind Throw him a dime for the passing time

My death waits there between your thighs Your cool fingers will close my eyes

Let's not think of that and the passing time

My death waits to allow my friends

A few good times before it ends

So let's drink to that and the passing time[Chorus:]My death waits there among the leaves

In magicians' mysterious sleeves

Rabbits and dogs and the passing time

My death waits there among the flowers

Where the blackest shadow, blackest shadow cowers

Let's pick lilacs for the passing time

My death waits there in a double bed

Sails of oblivion at my head

So pull up the sheets against the passing time[Chorus:]

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